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The Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: DA 12-1863, IB Docket No. 12-340; RM-11683 Reply Comments


Dear Chairman Genachowski:

As someone who has spent the majority of my career in the field of law enforcement I am well aware of the need of being able to communicate in an emergency situation. For many of the public those situations will involve the use of their cell phones. Unfortunately there are areas, including Michigan where service is limited or nonexistent. That is definitely a problem that in some cases can be life threatening.

LightSquared has a license modification application pending before the Federal Communications Commission that will help alleviate that problem. By adding LightSquared as a service provider we will see an expansion of coverage, especially in rural areas. Protecting the public should be a top priority for all of us.

Thank you for letting me share my views on this and I hope that you will be able to approve the LightSquared proposal as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

 Dwayne Gill Senator Debbie Stabenow  
REPRESENTATIVE Mike Rogers